

## **GRADE 8 English Language Arts Using Information Resources: Lesson 7**

Read aloud to the students the material that is printed in **boldface type** inside the boxes. Information in regular type inside the boxes and all information outside the boxes should **not** be read to the students. Possible student responses are included in parentheses after the questions.

Any directions that ask you to do something, such as to turn to a page or to hand out materials to students, will have an arrow symbol (  $\implies$  ) by them.

### *Purpose of Lesson :*

In this lesson, the tutor and students will

- ◆ practice finding information from the Information Resources Booklet, and
- ◆ answer questions using the Information Resources Booklet.

### *Equipment/Materials Needed:*

- ◆ pencils
- ◆ Student Worksheet: Using Information Resources Lesson 7-1
- ◆ Information Resources Booklet (one per student)

Introduction:

**Today we will practice using the Information Resources Booklet to answer questions. You have become familiar with the Information Resource Booklet during the last few lessons. Now you can focus on finding information quickly to answer questions about informational resources.**

**Before I pass the booklets out to you, let's briefly review tips to remember when using the Information Resource Booklet.**

- ◆ ***Read the first page of the Information Resource Booklet carefully. This page contains the *directions* and *contents* of the Booklet.***
- ◆ ***Follow the directions! Remember, you are told *twice* on the first page to look at the reference materials before answering the questions.***
- ◆ ***Scan the resources and *skim* the articles; you do not have time to read every word in every article and information resource.***
- ◆ ***To find main ideas of articles and other information resources quickly, read titles and first sentences of paragraphs.***

⇒ Distribute Information Resources Booklet and Student Worksheet: Using Information Resources Lesson 7-1.

**This worksheet has more questions than the usual worksheets you have been doing for the past lessons on using information resources. You have 20 questions to answer. After you have completed the worksheet, we will review the answers together.**

After students have completed the worksheet, go over the answers with them. (See the answer sheet on the following page. Key words in questions are highlighted.)

**Answers to Worksheet** (Key words are highlighted)

(Directions: Circle the key words in each question. Then answer each question and tell which informational source you used to find the answer.)

1. Where can you find information about **Bullroarers**?  
*In chapter three, on page 94 in the book Drums Through the Ages.*
2. Where is the **vibraphone** located in the **orchestra**?  
*Upper left hand corner; diagram of The Orchestra*
3. Which article **shows** what a **late 19<sup>th</sup> century drum** might look like?  
*Burmese Drum, Internet Website*
4. Which **article** gives information about **drum dances** and **entertaining tourists**?  
*"Drums of the Inuit," excerpt from a magazine*
5. Which **author** wrote the **oldest article** about **rock music**?  
*Jaques Gerard, 1972*
6. Which **author** wrote the **most recent article** about **jazz**?  
*George Hall, 2000*
7. **How many articles** about **non-western music** are included on the **Bibliography Page** for Excerpts from Books on Drums?  
*seven*
8. Which **bibliographic entry** under **non-western music** **does not include an author**?  
*Music & Education Journal*
9. In Excerpts from Books on Drums, which **bibliographic entry** could be used to learn about **the Beatles**?  
*The Beat and the Beatles by Heath Dexter*
10. Which **source** gives information about **getting permission to reproduce parts of a book**?  
*Copyright page*

(Answers to worksheet continued)

11. Which source would lead you to information on the use of percussion instruments in rock music?  
*Bibliography page (under Rock)*
12. According to the diagram labeled "The Orchestra," how many sections of instruments make up the orchestra? List them.  
*four: percussion, brass, woodwinds, and strings*
13. Using information from the *Drums Through the Ages* copyright page, write a bibliography entry for the book. Use the most appropriate format shown on page 231B as your model.  
*White, Charles. Drums Through The Ages. California: the Sterling Press Inc., 1960.*
14. Which chapters in Excerpts from Books on Drums would provide information on idiophones?  
*chapter three*
15. Which article under specific topics on page 230B provides information about Blues Music in New Orleans?  
*Blues, New Orleans Style, by Samuel B. Charters*
16. How many articles on non-western music were published in the 1960's?  
*one ("The Anthropology of Music")*
17. According to the Bibliography Page, which of the three categories of music included the greatest number of articles published in the 1980's?  
*jazz (one article published in 1982)*
18. To learn about drums and war, which source would you use?  
*Excerpt from Books on Drums, chapter two*
19. According to the diagram labeled "The Orchestra," how many sections of violins are included in an orchestra?  
*three*
20. Which source would provide information about the earliest drums?  
*Excerpt from Books on Drums, Chapter one, "Origins"*

Student Worksheet: Using Information Resources Lesson 7-1

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

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4. Which article gives information about drum dances and entertaining tourists?
5. Which author wrote the oldest article about rock music?
6. Which author wrote the most recent article about jazz?
7. How many articles about non-western music are included on the Bibliography Page for Excerpts from Books on Drums?
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